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(57) Abstract: The use of an antibody to a *C albicans* cell wall antigen or to a solubilized phosphopeptidomannan (PPM) fraction of the cell wall of *C albicans*, or preferably a combination of an IgG2 antibody to a phosphopeptidomannan (PPM) fraction of the cell wall of *C albicans*, and an IgG1 or IgG3 antibody to a *C albicans* cell wall antigen in the diagnosis of candidiasis or invasive candidiasis is disclosed. Also diagnostic tests are disclosed.

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